

SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY PANEL MEETING



Chairperson

Heather Stettinichs

Vice Chairperson

Mark Krogstrand

Panel Functions

- Advise the SEA of unmet needs within the State in the education of children with disabilities
- Comment publicly on any rules or regulations proposed by the state regarding the education of children with disabilities
- Advise the SEA in developing evaluations and reporting on data to the Secretary under section 618 of the Act
- Advise the SEA in developing corrective action plans to address findings identified in Federal monitoring reports under Part B of the Act
- Advise the SEA in developing and implementing policies relating to the coordination of services for children with disabilities
- Review and comment on final due process hearing findings and decisions
- Advise on eligible students with disabilities in adult prisons- The advisory panel also shall advise on the education of eligible students with disabilities who have been convicted as adults and incarcerated in adult prisons

Panel Priorities

- State Performance Plan
- Child Find
- Ensuring quality service providers are available to children with disabilities

Agenda
January 8th, 2009

1:30 PM-1:45 PM	Welcome
Opening Remarks	Department of Education
Call the meeting to Order	Chairperson: Heather Stettinichs Vice Chairperson: Mark Krogstrand
Action Item	Approval of the Agenda
Action Item	Approval of October 7th, 2008 Minutes
	Public Comment

1:45 PM-2:30 PM	Response to Intervention
	Presented by Barb Boltjes and Susan Sletto, Education Specialists Overseeing RtI, SD Dept. of Education
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of Pilot Sites • Future Plans for Pilot sites
	Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations

2:30 PM-4:00 PM	Updates from Special Education Programs
	Presented by Ann Larsen, SD Dept. of Education
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Updates • Upcoming 2009 Submission to OSEP • Target Setting & Activities
	Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations


4:00 PM-4:15 PM	Break

4:15 PM-4:45 PM	Indicator 14: Secondary Transition
	Presented by Dr. Gregory Cooch, Black Hills State University
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Baseline Data Collected • Targets set by November Workgroup • Activities set by November Workgroup
	Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations

4:45 PM-5:00 PM	Closing Remarks
5:00 PM	Adjourn

January 9th, 2009

8:30 AM	<i>Panel Reconvenes</i>
8:30 AM-10:00 AM	Indicator 8: Parent Involvement, Survey Results
	Presented by Susan Wagner, Mountain Plains Regional Resource Center
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Targets and Activities
Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations	

10:00 AM-10:30 AM	Miscellaneous Topics
 <p>Miscellaneous Topics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Panel Priority #3: Quality Service Provider Survey
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Special Ed Director Calls
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member Contact Information
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
Questions, Discussion, and Recommendations	

10:30 AM-10:45 AM	Schedule Upcoming Meeting
Upcoming Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposed Agenda Items for Next Time
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Propose Guest Speakers/Topics
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •

10:45 AM-11:00 AM	<i>Closing Remarks</i>
11:00 AM	Adjourn
Action Item	

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Reminder</u></p> <p>Next Meeting: We will meet at _____ in Sioux Falls on April 23rd and 24th, 2009</p>	
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